

HOUSE RESOLUTION 57

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A RESOLUTION to congratulate the staff and volunteers of the Greene County Fair upon receiving the prestigious 2006 Premier Award.

WHEREAS, this General Assembly finds it fitting to pay tribute to those events that provide education and entertainment to the citizens of Tennessee; and

WHEREAS, the Greene County Fair is one such event that recently received the Premier Award at the 85th annual Tennessee Association of Fairs convention held in Nashville; and

WHEREAS, Tennessee hosts sixty-six fairs every year, which are divided into three categories, A, AA, and AAA class divisions, depending upon a county's population; the Greene County Fair is distinguished as a AAA division; and

WHEREAS, the esteemed Premier Award is given to any fair in the triple A division who has won the Champion of Champions Award within the past three years, and the Greene County Fair has been recently honored with this prominent award; and

WHEREAS, the Champion of Champions Award is presented to the county that hosts the best fair as decided by the Tennessee Department of Agriculture; and

WHEREAS, during the state fair convention, twenty-seven delegates from Greene County were present as "Fairest of the Fair" winner Cassie Brooks accepted a trophy presented by Kevin Lawrence, president of the Tennessee Association of Fairs; and

WHEREAS, only through the diligent work and true dedication of the staff and volunteers and the support of businesses, civic groups, and organizations throughout Greene County and beyond could the Fair have reached such levels of continued success; and

WHEREAS, the state fair convention ended with the award ceremony, where delegates representing all the participating counties came together to attend workshops that provided information on ways to improve their fairs; and

WHEREAS, the next highly anticipated Greene County Fair is scheduled for August 6-11, 2007; and

WHEREAS, it is fitting that this General Assembly pause to acknowledge and applaud the hard work and dedication of the Greene County Fair's staff and volunteers in their ceaseless endeavors to improve the occasion for education and entertainment that is the Greene County Fair; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we hereby honor and commend the staff and volunteers of the Greene County Fair for their tremendous service to the people of Greene County, congratulate them upon the Fair's most deserved recognition as the recipient of the 2006 Premier Award, and extend our best wishes for every future success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.